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TELEGRAPHIC.

Winnipeg, December 9th.
George Augusta Sala is dead.
Alexander Dumas left a fortune of nearly \$500,000.
Cuban insurgents have entered the province of Santa Clara.
Great Britain will place a protectorate over lower Siam shortly.
The Northern Pacific liner, Strathnevis, is disabled but is heading for Puget Sound.
Great damage has been caused at all towns on the North Sea by storms.
Sir Charles Tupper, Canadian high commissioner, sailed on Saturday for Canada.
Exceedingly heavy weather all over the British Isles has caused considerable damage to shipping.
Sir Platt White Ridley, home secretary, will re-consider the case of Mrs. Maybrick.
The dynamite house of the Ottawa Powder Company, exploded on Saturday, killing one of the employees.
Gilbert Lenoir, the man who fired a revolver in the French chamber of deputies is supposed to be insane.
There is no truth in the report that the Massey-Harris Company are about to remove to the United States.
The Northwest Commercial travellers association held their annual meeting for the nomination of officers on Saturday evening.
BATTLEFORD, Dec. 9th.
Mrs. Ben Prince and family left by last stage for the east, where they will spend the winter.
The contract for cordwood at the Industrial school, was secured by C. M. Daunais.
One of Inupit. Moodies boys has been dangerously ill for the last six weeks and doubts are now entertained of his recovery.
Joseph Prince, an old resident of this place who went away about six years ago is now on his way back with his family and will live in town.

TO-DAY'S TRAIN.

CALGARY, Dec. 9th.
Two way cars for various parties in Edmonton.

VANCOUVER MARKETS.

Special report for the Bulletin by Osmond Skins & Co., general commission merchants.
Vancouver, B. C., Dec. 9th.
British Columbia wholesale quotations:
Wheat, \$23.00 per ton; oats, \$18.00; potatoes, \$9.00; dressed beef, 5c. to 6c. per pound; pork, 5 1/2c.; mutton, 7c.; Australian mutton, 6c.; dairy butter, 23c.; creamery butter, 26 1/2c.; pickled eggs, 20c.; fresh eggs, 30c.

LOCAL.

FORRESTER'S calico ball on Friday next, 13th inst.
CONSECRATION of the general hospital on Sunday next, the 15th inst.
MISS LUEDNA CONNELL, who has been dangerously ill, is now out of danger.
J. G. LAMONDS, of High River, has bought up a car of calves, to ship out on to-morrow's train.
Mrs. J. C. C. BRENNER, of Clover Bar, leaves on a visit to St. John, N. B., on to-morrow's train.
JUNIOR SCOTT is expected to arrive from Calgary on Thursday's train to open court on Friday the 13th.
The slight rain on Thursday afternoon was followed by a very brilliant rainbow visible to the north eastward from town.
D. BROOK will start crushing grain by steam power at his place near Spruce Grove post office, Stony Plain, some time next week.
TOWFIELD public school district, southwest of Beaver lake, has been authorized to borrow \$700 for the purpose of erecting a school house and digging a well.
The Winnipeg Commercial of Nov. 30th, quotes dairy butter in Vancouver at 18c to 20c and creamery at 20c. It speaks of a slight decline in sympathy with Montreal prices. Eggs 35c for fresh local, and 19c to 22c for Eastern.
J. A. McDUGGALL, who is visiting at Riverside, California, has decided to return by way of New Orleans, Atlanta and New York instead of taking the route by the Isthmus of Panama. He will be home in a couple of weeks.
H. S. YOUNG will buy furs this winter for John Norris, senior. His office will be in Thos. Hourston's warehouse. This makes five buyers on the Edmonton market. The H. B. Co., R. Secord, Joseph Ullman & Sons, of St. Paul, per Jas. Walsh; J. Norris, per H. S. Young; W. B. Steunett.
Persons holding non-professional third-class certificates, who desire to attend normal sessions for third class teachers should at once forward their names and addresses to the secretary of the council of public instruction, Regina, in order that the council may make a decision as to where normal sessions will be held. The sessions will open on Jan. 2nd and close on March 15th.
The Winnipeg Commercial quotes wheat at 30c to 40c for No. 1 hard to farmers at country points in Manitoba, and 2c to 3c for No. 2 hard and No. 1 Northern, 30c for No. 3 hard, 25c for No. 1 frosted, 20c for No. 2 frosted. These prices are a paralysis to the farmer who had such high hopes of this season's good crop and improved prices. When he had no wheat, wheat was high; when he has plenty of wheat it is down to bed rock.
S. S. TAYLOR returned on Saturday from a deer hunt in the Little Beaver hills, south-east of Limestone lake. He found plenty of blacktailed deer there and shot one large buck. He then left that locality, and went northwestward after elk. A large band was ranging in that locality, but left shortly before. He saw the fresh tracks of two, but did not get near either of the animals. There are a large number of Indians camped at Limestone lake in the Beaver hills hunting deer. Mr. Taylor was accompanied by Jas. Lakater.

COUNCILLOR C. F. Strang is visiting Banff for the benefit of his health.
C. F. A. GREEN leaves for Ladner's Landing, B. C., on Tuesday's train.
MRS. BROOK and Mrs. Emery leave on a trip east on to-morrow's train.
McLEOD & McDONALD's steam threshers was still at work on Stony Plain last week.
HENDERSON & STEWART's traction threshers quit work in the White Mud settlements last week.
GEO. ROY, registrar, who has been laid up for some weeks by a dislocated ankle is able to be out again.
FINLAY MACDONALD's and Dan. Macdonald's threshers finished work in the Morinville settlement last week.
J. D. CLARKE has opened up a grocery and confectionery store in the building adjoining the telegraph office.
THERE are several places in the river which are not yet frozen over, and in other places the ice is still so thin as to be dangerous.
PUBLIC school entertainment on Monday evening, December 23rd, in Robertson hall. The pupils have been practicing for this entertainment for some time.
ON Wednesday forenoon about ten o'clock the sun, moon and three stars were visible at the same time. The stars were in a southerly direction, about half way up sky.
As the Old Timers' dinner takes place on Wednesday evening, the meeting of the Liberal association, which was fixed for that night, has been postponed until Wednesday, January 8th, 1896.
Wm. LAURIE of the land titles office, Regina, arrived on Thursday's train to take a position temporarily in the Edmonton land titles office. Mr. Laurie is a brother of Mrs. P. V. Gauvreau.
REV. FATHER MCCARTHY, of St. Mary's, Winnipeg, arrived on Thursday's train to take Rev. Father Lacombe's place in St. Joachim's church during the absence of Rev. Father Lacombe in the east.
A CHRISTMAS tree and social will be held in the Belmont school house on Friday, Dec. 20th, at 8 o'clock sharp. Refreshments at 8.30. Collection in aid of Christmas tree. All are cordially invited.
JAS. JOHNSTON, postmaster of Namo, who lost his dwelling by fire some months ago, has been paid his insurance of \$900 in full, except the value of a sewing machine which was saved, by the Atlas Company.
R. W. EASTON arrived on Monday's train to take the position of manager of the Edmonton saddlery company's business, which has been vacated by J. C. Campbell, who will take a trip east for the benefit of his health, which has been poor for the past year.

The Commercial reports oats in active demand in Manitoba at 14 to 15 cents on the track, at country points and 15 and 16 cents in Winnipeg. Barley is 15c for feed and 20c for malting on track at country points. The price on track is the price the dealer who buys from the farmer gets.
W. J. GRIFFIN reports having struck a five foot seam of excellent coal on his property, river lot twelve. The seam is below the one in which all the other mines in town are being worked and is of a superior quality coming out in large blocks. The seam above in which most of the mines are, is three to four feet thick.
The petition to parliament asking for the passage of the Edmonton district railway and improvement company charter contains the following clause specifying the direction and location of the several branches of the proposed railway: (a) Southerly to connect with the Calgary and Edmonton railway at or near South Edmonton. (b) Northwesterly via the parish of St. Albert to a point on the Athabasca river at or near Fort Assiniboine, with a branch to Stony Plain; (c) Easterly to or near Fort Saskatchewan with a branch to Sturgeon river.

The Hamilton Times of a recent issue has an article accusing Harper's of artistic piracy in C. W. Whitney's article on his trip to the Barren Ground, appearing in the December number of the magazine. Several excellent full page sketches which appear in the article, of trading in the H. B. store at Edmonton, Lac la Biche on New Year's day, and the meeting of two brigades of dog trains, have the signature of Frederick Remington attached. There is no doubt that Mr. Remington can draw excellent pictures from imagination, and these are excellent pictures, but the Times asserts that these pictures are the work of A. H. Hemming, of Hamilton, who accompanied Mr. Whitney through Edmonton and Lac la Biche and most of the way to Fort McMurray. And indeed they are rather too life like even for Mr. Remington's imagination. No doubt the sketches made by Mr. Hemming have been touched up by Mr. Remington, and the question of which artist was entitled to attach his name to them depended on the proportionate amount of artistic ability expended on the original sketch and the re-touching respectively.

MARKETS.

Grain came in freely last week. Wheat is quoted at 30c to 45c, but a great deal of good milling wheat is being bought at 40c to 42c. At 30 cents and under the grain is bought for feed. Oats are 15c to 17c for feed and 18c to 20c for seed. Brackman & Ker offer 22 1/2c for best milling oats and 15c for feed. Barley is 15c to 20c for feed and 25c for malting. Very little of the latter is offering. Live and dressed hogs have come in briskly at 4c for live and 5c for dressed. No more dressed hogs are wanted for packing as it adds to the difficulty of curing when the pork has been frozen. A few will be taken for sale, fresh. Very little is being done in mutton. The price is about 6c a pound dressed. Very little poultry is offering, and the butcher shops are bare of the usual December display. Several of the butchers are sending to Winnipeg for their Christmas supply. Eight cents a pound for chickens, 12c a pound for turkeys and a dollar a piece for geese are about the prices offered. Beef is abundant, cheap and good, quarters are offered at 4c to 5c for fore and 5c to 6c for hind. Hay is still abundant at \$4 a ton. Dry wood \$2 a cord, coal \$1.75 to \$2 a ton.

Old Timer's Dinner on Wednesday evening, December 11th.

The draft charter of the Edmonton district railway company was considered by the town council on Saturday night.

OWING to a break in the press this issue of the BULLETIN was delayed too late for the usual town delivery on the evening of publication.

K. A. McLEOD is suffering from the effects of a severe fall received this afternoon from a ladder while fitting storm sashes on the windows of Robertson hall. He fell about seventeen feet, and had one of the bones in his left wrist broken.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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NOTICE.

A meeting of the Edmonton Rifle Association will be held on Tuesday (to-morrow) evening, at 7.30, in Turnbull & McAdam's hall. Members having rifles belonging to the association will please send them to the hall.

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FRANK OLIVER. — PROPRIETOR.
EDMONTON BULLETIN, DECEMBER 9th, 1896

THE CROPS

Thirteen steam threshers and eight horsepower threshers have been busy all season threshing out the crop of the Edmonton district. The first of them started in the last week of August and several only ceased work in the first week of December. They ran from two to three months. The yield has been light and the grain averaged low in quality. Owing to the rank growth of straw in the western and southern part of the district and the shelling out occasioned by the snow fall in September as well as the fact that a good deal of the grain was light, a great deal of straw had to be put through in proportion to the amount of grain; and yet if the returns of the threshing given the BULLETIN so far are correct,—and the threshing returns are generally accepted as the best estimate of the amount of the crop—there must have been somewhere about 600,000 bushels of grain threshed in this district this year. Which means that there are a great many people in the Edmonton district. Owing to the large number of people, this large amount of grain does not mean nearly as much for export as would be the case in Manitoba. A very large proportion of the new settlers in this district are very poor. They are only able to farm in a small way yet,—so small in many cases that it can scarcely be called farming,—therefore the proportion of the total yield that is required for home consumption is very much greater than it would be if the people were well off and each farmer cropped say 100 acres, as in the farming districts of Manitoba. At the same time it proves that even in a very bad season this district can not only supply its own food in abundance for both man and beast, but can also have more for export than it can get a profitable price for in the present state of the markets, which is a good deal more than Manitoba did for many years both before and after the railroad got there. Had the crop been a full one it would certainly have aggregated a million bushels, and very likely will exceed that figure next year. Unfortunately a great deal of the grain this year is of poor quality, which brings the shipping value of that portion down practically to nothing. Barley, which in the old days was the stand by of the district when wheat was supposed to be an impossibility, suffered this year more than either oats or wheat. Possibly this is due to the fact that more chances were taken with the barley than with the wheat, the feeling being that it was less valuable as well as less risky than wheat. Wheat was no doubt the pet. It got the best land and the first sowing, and a very fair proportion of good wheat is the result. It is noticeable that in this unfavorable year the red life has done fully as well in growth and ripening as any of the other wheats and is far superior to any other in the estimation of the millers. If this fact is established farmers will do well to cease experimenting with the many different kinds of fancy wheats and concentrate their attention on securing and producing pure red life. Oats have as usual come best through the unfavorable season. There are some light oats and many light yields; but on the other hand the proportion of good oats is very much greater than of good wheat or barley. This season has proven conclusively that oats are practically a sure crop here, and will establish that grain more firmly than ever as the staple crop of the district. Another thing that has been thoroughly established is that grain is safer on old land and in a thick settlement than on new land and in a thin settlement. The old settlements surrounding Edmonton have very good average samples, and fair yields. It is in the new outlying settlements where the greatest damage has been done,

where the ground had not been cultivated long enough to be worked thoroughly and where perhaps a cold situation had been chosen through not understanding the nature of the country. But even in the newest settlements there is good grain. The difference between the results in the old and in the new settlements this year shows that cultivation and settlement do improve the climate. The fact that even with a light crop the price of grain is so very low, and the further fact that there is a large amount of grain damaged so as to be practically unsaleable in the present condition of the markets, points very strongly to the necessity of the farmer being prepared to turn his grain into pork or beef or some other commodity in demand in the markets of the world and of sufficient value to pay freight to those markets.

The Calgary Herald in a column and a half article of a recent issue, seems to suggest the formation of Alberta into a province for the purpose of building another transcontinental railway in opposition to the C. P. R. The formation of Alberta into a province might be a very good thing in itself, as also might—and no doubt would under proper conditions—be the construction of a competing transcontinental railway. But the connection between the two is not as definitely established as the length of the Herald's effort and the strength of its assertions would indicate. A transcontinental railway is essentially a Dominion and not a provincial enterprise. The Herald's proposition—if it has made a proposition—that Alberta should pay its share of the assistance to all other government railways and then build its own outlet across other provinces is not one that meets with the approval of the BULLETIN, and would scarcely meet with the approval of any true friend of Alberta.

ASSESSMENT OF INCOMES.

The following is the judgment of Mr. Justice Scott on the appeals against the assessment of their income made by S. S. Taylor and H. C. Taylor. The incomes were assessed at \$2,500 each and were reduced by the court of revision to \$2,200 and \$1,500 respectively.

Section 1 of part 1 of the municipal ordinance provides that "All municipal, local or direct taxes or rates shall, where no other express provision has been made in this respect," be levied "equally upon the whole rateable property, real, personal and income, of the municipality according to the assessed value of such property and income." No other provision is made as to the assessment and taxation of income, except that the income of a farmer derived from his farm and the income of merchants, mechanics, and other persons derived from property liable to taxation is exempt.

It is not shown how the amount of the income is to be ascertained, or upon what it is to be based. It is admitted that the appellants in these cases are practicing advocates, and doubtless the assessment is based on what would be considered their income from their profession during the present year, but I can find no authority, such as there is in Ontario, to base it upon the income derived by them during the preceding year. The income of a professional man fluctuates, and because he may have obtained certain profits for a portion of the time up to the time of the assessment, it cannot reasonably be inferred that he will continue to make the same profits at the same rate during the remainder of the year, or even that the profit made by him up to the time of the assessment may not be swallowed up by losses made in his practice during the remainder of the year.

In *Lawless vs. Sullivan*, L. R. C. appeal cases 373, it was held that the word "income" in the New Brunswick assessment act when applied to a commercial business meant the balance of gain over loss and that when no such gain has been made during the year there is no income or funds capable of being assessed. But it was contended by Mr. Beck on behalf of the town that there is a distinction between the income of advocates from their profession and that derived from trade and commerce. Truly there may be such a distinction in some respects, but I do not see any reason why the income of an advocate should not be held to be the balance of gain in his practice over losses therein.

In view of the fact that it is impossible to ascertain the amount of appellants income for the year, I must hold that the assessment cannot stand.

The assessments of S. S. Taylor and H. C. Taylor in respect of income will therefore be struck out.

The following is the decision of Judge Scott on the assessment appeal of the Hudson's Bay Company: The only question raised on this appeal was as to the assessment of the company's stock in trade; the evidence showing that the average value of the stock carried throughout the year was between \$9,000 and \$10,000, and that the value at the time of the assessment would be about \$11,000. Mr. Taylor, for the appellants contended, that the average amount carried throughout the year should form the basis of value for assessment purposes. I cannot agree with this contention. How is it to be ascertained what will be the average value carried throughout the year, or what authority is there for referring to the averages of other years. I think that the only basis of assessment is the value at the time of the assessment, and I therefore

direct that the assessment in respect of stock be reduced to \$11,000.

In the assessment appeal of Harry H. Robertson the assessment for income was struck out. The assessment of hall was reduced to \$3,000 and the following reductions were made on other lots.

Lots 20 to 21, block A, river lot 12, to \$300 each.

Lots 20 to 23, inclusive, block 28, river lot 14, to \$80.

Lots 18 to 20, inclusive, block 3, river lot 12, to \$50.

Lots 37 and 38, block 3, river lot 12, to \$65.

Lots 1 to 4 and 7 to 8, inclusive, block 11, river lot 12, to \$50.

Lots 55, block 7, H. B. reserve, to \$70.

Lots 28 to 32, inclusive, block B, river lot 14, reduced to \$50.

Lots 1 to 8, block 9, river lot 14, reduced to \$25.

Lots 25 and 28, block 9, river lot 14, to \$80.

Lots 26 to 29, inclusive, block 9, river lot 14, to \$50.

Lots 41 to 45, inclusive, block, 9 river lot 14, to \$25.

D. McArthur: The evidence as to the value of lots in respect of which this appeal is entered is contradictory. Mr. Heinicke a real estate agent and who is the agent for looking after the property, states that the value of the lots as set out in a schedule produced by him are in his opinion the actual cash values of the lots. Such values being less than the assessed values as revised by the court of revision. Mr. McDonald, the assessor, who also was a real estate agent, states that the amounts for which the lots are assessed as revised by the court of revision are in his opinion the values thereof if taken in payment of a just debt by a solvent debtor. Mr. Heinicke, upon being recalled, stated that the prices in the schedule produced by him would be accepted now if he recommended them, but he failed to state that he would recommend any such sale. There is not such a preponderating weight of evidence in appellant's favor as to satisfy me that the assessment as revised by the court of revision is in excess of the value of the property and therefore the appeal must fail.

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OLDS.

This vicinity was greatly shocked to learn of the sad demise on Tuesday night of Mr. J. Gould, who accompanied the Nebraska colony to Alberta three years ago, and who for the most of this time has been engaged at the hotel. Mr. Gould had been afflicted with heart trouble together with a pulmonary affection for several years, and while on a trip for coal three weeks ago, contracted a cold which resulted in his speedy death. His home was in England. The funeral takes place from the hotel to-day and the remains will rest in the Baine cemetery.

Sufficient snow has fallen to make fair sleighing and the usual winter vocation of log and wood hauling is being plied.

Donald McLeod who has "wielded the birch" in the Olds public school for the past year will soon close this year's work, when he will then attend the teacher's normal. Mr. McLeod has rendered very satisfactory services in this school and the board has deemed it advisable to engage him for the coming year.

The treasurer of Olds school district reports the collection of taxes fairly easy, which points very "pointedly" towards better times. At the last board meeting Mr. A. L. Ramsay was awarded the job of moving the school house to the new site, work to be completed by Jan. 1, '96.

Mrs. O. S. Moore, who has been sick for over five months, two of the latter being spent in the Calgary general hospital, is now reported as gaining strength quite rapidly and being able to be about the house.

A number of threshing jobs are yet remaining and it looks as if this department of farming is to continue until spring at the present rate of procedure. Oats are bringing fifteen, twenty and twenty-five cents per bushel and barley from thirty-five to forty cents.

Chicory, the chief adulterant of coffee, has been raised successfully here this year, as has also sugar beet. Talk about your sub-tropical climates! When we start our coffee mill and sugar factory! What's the matter with Alberta? "She's all right."

The BULLETIN scribe's huge auriculars bear the twinkling of wedding bells, the merry sound of which may grow into a right down good old chime about holidays.

Dec. 5th 1895.

CATTLE.

Communicated.

While the farmer is deploring the low price of grain generally, has he considered if there is a way out of the difficulty? It is widely admitted that there is more money in mixed farming than in grain raising; and there is little doubt that it would be more advantageous to the farmer to devote his greater energies to stock raising and let the cultivation of grain and roots be more of an adjunct to the former. Having arrived at this conclusion let us see if we are on the right road and if we have the right kind of stock.

The attention of cattle dealers is already directed towards our district; but they are in search of a first class article and cannot be satisfied with the animal we thought so much of when slaughtered for our own market. In a shipment made some time ago the shipper thought he had a good sample. There were, without doubt, some good ones in the lot, as the dealer testified when he said "Yes! you have a fair average lot, but the cattle are not there. It must have cost quite a lot to bring them up to condition." This man saw at a glance that the breed was wanting. Without breed the animals lack bone and frame and the scrubs keep the farmer poor while trying to put on beef.

In a certain part of the mother country an old custom with farmers is to consider what money he will require at a certain time; having determined this he selects, for stall feeding, as many head of stock as will, when fit for market, realize the amount needed. The same course is open to the farmer here. Say he has certain notes to meet in the spring. He can feed up as many head as will sell for the requisite sum. He is sure, if his cattle are in proper condition, to make the sale, for fat cattle are always in demand in the spring.

Now as to kind of cattle. The farmer stands in the same position as the storekeeper. The latter asserts his stock to suit the demands of his customers, or in other words he keeps the class of goods his customers want to buy. The cattle raiser must do the same if he intends to build up a business. In order to do this he must improve his stock; must get rid of old scrub bulls and replace them with good thorough-breds. Don't say times are too hard to do this; make an effort, even if three or four would club together to purchase one; which can always be

procured from the southern ranches small cost, it being a well known fact that these ranches are constantly importing new blood, and are glad to rid of their bulls after a couple of seasons' service. One of the syndicate of four might keep the bull thus procured while the other three might contribute in material towards the keep, and change around each season. The agricultural societies could assist in the matter by excluding from their shows all bulls but thoroughbreds and by making an effort to offer a prize of sufficient value to induce the farmers to exhibit, and also as an encouragement to them.

As to kind of stock. The Shorthorn is probably the best adapted to our requirements. The cows are good milkers, are of good size and when dried off take on beef rapidly, while the steers of this breed stand in the foremost rank. This breed is also noted for its sound constitution and general excellence.

To sum up, weed out the old stock, get some new blood of the right strain, raise the calves from the word "go," for bear in mind the fact that a good steer cannot be produced from a half starved neglected calf. Then with good feed, which can always be had at command, proper care and attention and suitable housing or shelter for the winter, the farmer will have, in spring, beef animals to offer which will not only be fit for any market, but will be sought after, and he will have established for himself a profitable source of revenue and a reputation for the district, with little or no extra labor.

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EDMONTON

NOTICE!

North-West Territories, District of Alberta, To Wit: In the matter of the Land Titles Act, 1894; and in the matter of that certain registered mortgage made by Ida Stirling Randall to the Dominion Building & Loan Association on lot number fifteen (15), block number four (4), as shown upon registered plan "A" of River Lot ten (10) of the Edmonton Settlement.

Upon hearing the application of the Mortgagees for foreclosure herein, and upon reading the affidavit and papers filed therewith, and satisfactory proof of service of notice of such application on the Mortgagee having been made:

I do order that notice be published once a week for three consecutive weeks in the Edmonton Bulletin, a newspaper published in the Town of Edmonton, in the said district, offering said land for sale, and fixing Wednesday, the 10th day of January, 1896, as the date upon or after which the said Mortgagees may make application for and obtain an absolute order for foreclosure of all the estate, right, title, interest and equity of redemption of the Mortgagee, of, in and to the said lands and every part thereof, pursuant to the provisions of Section 78 of the Land Titles Act 1894.

Dated at Edmonton this 22nd day of October, A. D. 1895.

Signed, D. L. SCOTT, J.S.C.

N.B.—The above lands are hereby offered for sale public and subject to the above order. For further particulars apply to

BECK & EMERY, Vendors' Advocates.

Dated the 26th November, 1895.

MORTGAGE SALE

OF VALUABLE

Town Property!

Pursuant to the order and direction of the Honorable Mr. Justice Scott and under and by virtue of the powers contained in a certain registered mortgage made by John G. O'Connell to the Vendors, which mortgage will be produced at the time of sale, there will be offered for sale at public auction in the Robertson Hall in the Town of Edmonton on

MONDAY, THE 26th DAY OF DECEMBER, 1895

at 2 o'clock p. m., the following property, viz: All and singular lot number 65, in River Lot 5, in the Town of Edmonton, in the District of Alberta, in the Northwest Territories of Canada, as shown upon a map or plan of said River Lot, of record in the Land Titles Office for the North Alberta Land Registration District as Plan "E."

The above property is situated about five minutes' walk from the Post Office, and comprises a comfortable dwelling house.

The purchase shall deposit 25 per cent. of his purchase money at the time of sale, and shall pay the balance within fourteen days thereafter. Other terms and conditions made known at the time of sale, or on application to

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W. S. ROBERTSON, Auctioneer.

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IN THE . .

Business Centre!

The undersigned having been favored with a large share of the public patronage at his bakery has opened out a new and fresh stock of

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NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that application will be made at the next Session of the Parliament of Canada for an Act to incorporate the Edmonton District Railway Company, with power to construct, operate and maintain Railways from the Town of Edmonton, in the District of Alberta, Northwest Territories, Canada: (a) Southerly to connect with the Calgary and Edmonton Railway; (b) Northwesterly to a point on the Athabasca river at or near Fort Assiniboine, with a branch to St. Mary's Plains; (c) Easterly to or near Fort Saskatchewan, with a branch to Sturgeon river. Also to acquire and operate ferries across and steamers and other craft upon the Saskatchewan, Pembina and Athabasca rivers and water contiguous thereto; to acquire and operate Coal Mines, Stone Quarries, Oil Wells, Gold and other Mines, and to generate and sell or lease Electric Energy for power, light or heat, and to acquire or construct and operate water-powers and irrigation works, all within the District of Alberta, with all the proper or usual powers given or granted to Companies incorporated for any of the purposes aforesaid.

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The following articles can be found at our meat market: Poultry of all kinds, Pork Sausages, Hams, Spiced Beef, Breakfast Bacon, Lamb, Chop Suet, Corned Beef, Head Cheese, and Tripe, at a very low cash price. Highest cash prices paid for Hides and Poultry of any kind.

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Improved and Unimproved farms close to the Townsite.

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HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Alberta—Wm. Lawrie, Regina; R. L. Alexander, Calgary; H. M. Bragg, Elkhor; A. C. Duke, Calgary; C. F. Green, C. Verstraete, St. Albert; Emille Coley, Fort Saskatchewan; J. B. Butchart, Stony Plain.

Queen's—H. Worden, F. T. Schooley, R. W. Easton, Montreal, J. Z. C. Miquelon, Wetaskiwin; R. Lindow and wife, Ft. Saskatchewan; Camille Verstraete, St. Albert; C. D. Rodberg, Brussels, Belgium; J. Beaudry, A. Roy, Stony Plain; G. H. Roswell, Poplar lake; Miss Taylor, Lake St. Ann.

Jasper—W. Trotter, Clover Bar; G. F. Vetter, Ft. Saskatchewan; P. Canliffe, Sturgeon; Geo. Sutherland, Henry Miller, Hans Brann, Henry Strave, Spruce Grove; Jas. McEwan and wife, Beaver lake; Jas. Graham and wife, F. H. Braine, G. Greenwood, Fort Saskatchewan; C. Ranch, W. Ranch, F. B. Edmonson, Clover Bar.

CONCERT.

The concert held in Houtson's hall on Friday evening last in aid of the Presbyterian church organ fund, was very well attended, the hall being filled to overflowing. Mr. McCauley presided as chairman and opened the proceedings by a few suitable remarks. The following programme was rendered: Piano solo, "Regimental March," Alex. McCauley; Recitation, "Mien Leetle Jacob Struam," Miss Flossie Sutter. Vocal solo, "Star of Bethlehem," Mrs. J. D. McBride. Whistle duet, Miss Birdie and Mr. Gilbert McKay. Reading, "The Parliament of Women," (Aristophanes) Rev. D. G. McQueen. Vocal solo, "Say An Hevren," S. Larue, encore. Violin solo, "Lascia et Planga," Miss May De Journal, encore. Piano duet, "The waves of the Ocean," Miss Maggie and Alex. McCauley, encore. "Sultan's Grand March," Vocal solo, "Waiting," Miss Cookson, encore. "Down the Sunlit Stream," Fantasia, violin and piano, "Cracato," Messrs. Patches and Cam. Recitation, "From the Moor of Venice," Donald Ross. Vocal duet, "Come o'er the moonlit Sea," Mrs. Wellbourn and Mr. McAdam. Recitation, "A Little Maid's Amen," Miss Flossie Sutter, encore. "Aunt Prue," Instrumental duet, J. Flynn, whistle, F. De Journal, piano. The concert realized about \$30.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY.

The following is the report of the auditors of the accounts of the St. Andrew's society submitted and passed at the meeting held in the town council chamber on Saturday evening, Nov. 30th:

To the President of the St. Andrew's society

Sir—We beg to inform you that we have audited the accounts of the society for the past year and have to report everything correct, and all expenditures supported by the vouchers and cheques; with the exception of one item of \$4.00 for sundry stamps, stationery, etc., which we consider very moderate. The accounts of the society are in a very satisfactory condition, as they are seen by the annexed statement of assets and liabilities. In making this report we think it comes within our province to be allowed to remark upon the careful and systematic manner in which the retiring secretary-treasurer has fulfilled his duties as such, during his term of office.

Signed,

A. McNICOL,

NORMAN D. JACKSON,

Auditors.

The financial statement showed a revenue for the year of \$160.17, and an expenditure of \$117.50. Total assets \$83.30. Total liabilities \$0.

WETASKIWIN.

Our land office is still closed, and the long suffering people are waiting patiently for election day.

A complaint has been lodged with the lord high muckmuck at Regina against Jerry Boyce for driving a traveller up to Edmonton. The complaint was made by a local liveryman who claims that privilege. These are stirring times.

A concert was held last evening at the Presbyterian church, which proved a great success. A notable incident of the entertainment was that no one recited "Curfew shall not ring to night."

The planing mill of Messrs. Miquelon & Clark is running full blast within the city limits. The blowing of the whistle and the whirr of the machinery makes lots of strangers think they have struck Pittsburg instead of Wetaskiwin. We strive to please.

A series of sporting events has been arranged for Christmas week. Amongst other events there will be a glove contest to a finish between two expert pugilists, as well as minor contests for a limited number of rounds. A great time is expected.

METEOROLOGICAL.

The following temperatures are reported from the Dominion government observatory, Edmonton, for the dates given:

December.		Max.	Min.
Thursday,	5,	28	
Friday,	6,	24	21
Saturday,	7,	19	11
Sunday,	8,	28	14
Monday,	9,		17

Barometer reduced to sea level 29.858.

BIRTHS.

PETTIPiece—At South Edmonton on Sunday, December 8th, 1895, the wife of Mathew Pettipiece, of a daughter.

NOTICE.

FOR SALE CHEAP FOR CASH.

One Driving Mare and one Driving Horse, seven years old, 1 Yearling Colt, 1 Cow and Calf, Wagon, Harness, Sleighs and Household Furniture.

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SLEIGHS, Etc. for the money.

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All repairs made free first season, except breakages occurring through carelessness.

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UPPER FERRY.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, in the firm of "Farrell & Co." has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be paid to John B. A. Farrell at St. Albert, and all claims are to be presented to the said John B. A. Farrell, by whom the same will be arranged.

Dated this 24th day of November, A. D. 1895.
MARY R. FARRELL,
J. B. LANGLAIS.
Witness: ANTONIO PRINCE. 8-16

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Christmas Goods

Seen in this Town for the price.

Toys,	5c. to \$6.00
Dolls,	10c. to 4.70
Albums,	90c. to 6.50
Celluloid Goods,	60c. to 7.50
Mirrors,	50c. to 4.50
Manicure Sets,	60c. to 12.00
Frames,	25c. to 1.50
Leather Cases,	1.00 to 3.50

Prices cannot be beaten, as I mean to sell out all Christmas Goods at a little above cost to clear out Christmas stock completely. I can back up above statement if you will give me a call before purchasing elsewhere. Xmas. No's. of all Papers for sale at 50c.

F. H. ANDREWS.

PORK.

I am prepared to pay cash for all well fattened, clean dressed hogs weighing anywhere from 150 to 500 pounds.

The usual two per cent. allowed for shrinkage and four pounds for each shoulder stick. Big bellied sows and stags at a discount.

Fresh Beef, Pork, Mutton, Sausage, Hams, etc., cheap for cash.

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Immense Stock, all varieties, bottom prices or cash.

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at the next session thereof, for an Act to incorporate a company to construct a railway and to work the same either by steam or electric power, or both, from the city of Winnipeg, in the province of Manitoba, to a crossing of the Saskatchewan river at or near Grand Rapids, thence by the most practicable route to the first principal meridian, in the province of Manitoba, running in a northerly or north-westerly direction to its intersection with the main line; also a branch line from a point on the main line near Grand Rapids, thence by the most practicable route to the first principal meridian, in the province of Manitoba, in the Northwest Territories, with power to construct and operate telegraph and telephone lines along the said railway and branches for all purposes, together with all the powers, rights and privileges usually granted in respect to railways and telegraph lines.

GEORGE ELDON KIDD,
Solicitor for Applicants.
Dated at Ottawa this 23rd day of October, A. D. 1895. 1-18

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TO RENT.
The Southwest quarter of section 30, township 54, Range 23, Horse Hills Settlement; 65 acres under cultivation, good stables and house, also good well. A team of general purpose horses (black) well matched, for sale. For further particulars apply to W. M. DUKE, Edmonton P. O.

STRAYED

STRAYED.
Came to the premises of the subscriber, Miners' Flat, in September last, two steer calves, one light red with white spots, the other darker red, less white spots. 11-16 G. ANDERSON.

STRAYED.
Came to Fraser's mill about Nov. 1st, a white sow nearly a year old. Owner can have same by paying expenses. 11-12 D. R. FRASER.

STRAYED.
Came to the premises of the undersigned, S.W. quarter 4-21-54, one roan mare, weight about 800 pounds, branded diamond JH and P on left shoulder, has whip marks on left side, also saddle and bubble galls. Owner is requested to prove property, pay expenses and take away. JAS. A. SCOTT, Fort Saskatchewan.

LOST.
One black mare branded JH on left shoulder on left hip, weighs about 1,000 pounds. Suitable reward will be given for information leading to their recovery. 97-102 GEORGE VEREY, Edmonton.

LOST.
From F. Union Co. about six weeks ago a light brown mare, six years old. No brand. Two front feet white, hind feet white, white face, small lump on left shoulder near the neck. \$5 reward will be given for information leading to her recovery. 80-3m LOUIS VANACKER, St. Albert.

TEACHERS WANTED

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For Beaver Hills Protestant School for January next. Apply stating age, salary required and certificate held to T. G. PEARCE, Agricola.

TEACHER WANTED.
Applications will be received up to December 29th, 1895, for the position of teacher of Belmont Protestant Public School, duties to commence Jan. 2nd, 1896. State class of certificate, salary wanted and send testimonials. One that can teach music preferred. 8-13 MURDOCH MCLEOD, Chairman.

MISCELLANEOUS.

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NOTICE.

ACCOUNTS WANTED.

All claims against the Municipality of the Town of Edmonton must be handed to the undersigned on or before the 15th inst. A. G. RANDALL, Town Clerk. Edmonton, 6th December, 1895. 11-14

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